



Asbestos removal supervisors need to be competent in organising, supervising and applying technical skills while on-site. This NVQ qualification has been developed specifically to assess these skills.

The availability of this Level 3 NVQ means supervisors can gain one qualification to obtain a gold CSCS card, which will save businesses time and money.

The Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Supervising Licensed Asbestos Removal (Construction) has been developed by ARCA specifically for asbestos removal supervisors, following consultation with industry, and certificated through RSPH (awarding body).

The assessment strategy has been produced by RSPH in the form of On-Site Assessment and Training (OSAT), whereby the candidate is assessed on-site undertaking supervisory tasks, and if required further training will be recommended by the assessor.

Overview

Following an induction, the candidate will commence assessments on-site which are required to cover a total of nine units, seven mandatory and two additional units chosen by the candidate.

Experienced supervisors can generally achieve this NVQ within 3 on-site assessment days.

An ARCA assessor will assess the candidate in the workplace and collate a portfolio of evidence. If the candidate does not meet all criteria during an assessment, the assessor may recommend further training, which the employer will need to arrange with ARCA. Therefore, the number of assessments will depend on the skills of, and preparation by, the candidate.

Once the ARCA assessor is satisfied that the candidate's portfolio of evidence meets the criteria, it will then be verified. Following successful verification an NVQ certificate will be issued to the successful candidate.

This NVQ is ideal for individuals who want to gain recognition of competence in an asbestos removal supervisor role and also require a CSCS card.

Content

This RSPH Level 3 NVQ Diploma consists of a total of nine units; seven mandatory and two additional units chosen by the candidate; each containing practical and theoretical criteria.

Mandatory Units

- Unit J/616/9661 Confirming work activities and resources for an occupational work area in the workplace
- Unit Y/616/9664 Developing and maintaining professional working relationships in the workplace
- Unit F/616/9660 Confirming the occupational method of work in the workplace
- Unit D/616/9665 Implementing and maintaining health, safety and welfare in the workplace
- Unit R/616/9663 Co-ordinating and organising work operations in the workplace
- Unit F/616/9657 Installing and removing licensed asbestos enclosure or containment areas in the workplace
- Unit J/616/9658 Removing licensed asbestos in the workplace

Additional Units (candidate to choose two from list below)

- Unit H/616/9666 Monitoring progress of work against schedules in the workplace
- Unit L/616/9662 Confirming work meets quality standards in the workplace
- Unit L/616/9659 Repairing or encapsulating asbestos containing materials in the workplace

Process

Four steps to gaining a Level 3 NVQ Diploma

1. Enrol
2. Receive an induction and commence practical assessments on-site. This will be arranged between the candidate, employer and ARCA assessor.
3. When the ARCA assessor is satisfied with the candidate's portfolio of evidence (covering all nine units), it will then be verified.
4. Following successful verification an NVQ certificate will be issued and can be used to apply for a CSCS card.

Fees

Fees are based on a supervisor having sufficient knowledge and experience to complete the assessment within THREE assessment days. Additional assessment dates will attract additional fees. *Note: if you pay the CITB Levy you may be eligible for a £600.00 grant.*

For Members the fee is £1,590.00 (exc vat) for three assessment days and the RSPH registration fee is £75.00 (inc vat). The fee for any additional assessment days is £440.00 (exc vat).

For Non Members the fee is £1,740.00 (exc vat) for three assessment days and the RSPH registration fee is £75.00 (inc vat). The fee for any additional assessment days is £490.00 (exc vat).

Enrolment Process

The first step is to complete an ARCA booking form. On receipt of this ARCA will request information from both the employer and candidate. On verification of this information the assessment process can begin.

A candidate can apply for a temporary Asbestos Removal Supervisor Red CSCS card and on successful completion of this NVQ can apply for an Asbestos Removal Supervisor Gold CSCS card.

To enrol on this NVQ ... call us today on 01283 505777

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